



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of: Gary J. Nabel *et al.*

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For: *TARGETING GENE TRANSFER VECTORS TO
CERTAIN CELL TYPES BY PSEUDOTYPING
WITH VIRAL GLYCOPROTEIN*

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2002 (Paper No. 10). A separate petition for the appropriate extension of time to respond is being filed concurrently herewith. Responsive to the Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows.